# **BIG FIGHT COMING** ON ROAD QUESTION

Much Difference of Opinion as to Amount of the Appropriation.

WEEK END IN LEGISLATURE

Conclusion of the Rhea Investigation Now in Sight.

Though in some other respects, per-Though in some other respects, perhaps, the Legislature/yesterday was as quiet as a Sunday school. The Rhea investigation and important committee hearings on other subjects, held morning, afternoon and night for several days, in addition to the work of the two houses in regular session, have pretty well worn the members out, and quite a number yesterday were paying a week-end visit to their homes.

Routine Matters.

In the Senate only routine and local ters were considered, and the same might be said of the House, although there was some discussion of proposed amendments to bills which were being ordered to their engrossment.

The bill to increase the convict road force, which occasioned considerable discussion on the day before, was made a special order for Tuesday. The gen-eral impression is that the opposition to the bill has greatly diminished.

The greatest fight over the road estion will undoubtedly be concerng the bill to make a very large apopration for the purpose of State i to roads. The patrons of the measaid to roads. The patrons of the measure are asking for \$250,000, but it is certain that some interested in certain other appropriations will make vigorous opposition to the expenditure of so large an amount for road purposes. On the other hand, the sentiment for substantial increase of the funds On the other hand, the sentiment for substantial increase of the funds available for road building is exceedingly strong, both in and out of the Legislature. The Governor in his message urged the appropriation of the amount mentioned, and it is certain that the friends of the measure will be prepared to submit weighty reasons for the passage of the bill.

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### SESSION OF TWO HOUSES

Routine Matters Occupy Attention of General Assembly.

Speaker Byrd called the House of Delegates to order at noon, and prayer was offered by Delegate Tipton D. Jennings, of Lynchburg.

A number of bills were reported, among them being one to re-enact what is known as the Wharton anticompact law, preventing fire insurance companies from combining for the purpose of making rates, and another known as the firemen's relief bill.

Mr. Massie asked that his bill on the preservation of forestry be printed, and

tax bills pending before the Finance Committee.

Committee.

Leave of absence was granted to several members, and many bills were effered and referred. A number of petitions were presented asking certain amendments to the present liquor laws, and they, too, were referred.

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Mr. Churchman, chairman of the Committee on Roads, moved to recommit House bill No. 160, requiring railway companies to settle just demurrage claims within sixty days, but the House reduced to agree.

When Senate bill No. 28, the special order of the day, was reached, its further consideration was postponed until Tuesday at 12:30 P. M., on motion of the patron, Mr. Withers, This is



## Take a Shot!

Prices are being shattered right and left.

Better get here Right away, if you don't want to be Left

\$1.09 for \$2 and \$2.50 Dress Shirts.

\$2.95 for \$3.75 and \$ Trousers. \$3.50 for \$6 and \$6.50 Boys'

\$7.75 for \$12.50 and \$13.50 Men's Suits. \$11.75 for \$18.50 and \$20

Suits.

Men's O'coats.

## Jacobs & Levy

the Alexandria man was "present and

Speaker Byrd ruled that the point Alexandria returned to his seat amid great laughter. .

House Bills Passed.
The following House bills were

Senate Bills Passed.

Amending and re-enacting an act approved March 3, 1896, entitled an act to regulate the granting of injunctions

to regulate the granting of injunctions in certain cases.

Amending and re-enacting section 3:56 of the Code of Virginia, 1887.

Amending and re-enacting section 3:438 of the Code of Virginia, 1887.

To appropriate the sum of \$3,320.60 for paying James F. Bradley & Co., contractors, for work contracted for by the Improvement of the Capitol Grounds Committee.

To require the debt due the Commonwealth by the insolvent Planters' and

debts.
The House adjourned until noon to-morrow.

## SENATE

The Senate was called to order promptly at 12 o'clock by Lieutenant-Governor Ellyson, and the session opened with prayer by the Rev. J. N. Latham, of Centenary Methodist

Among the few bills reported was one from the Committee on General Laws prescribing punishment for sending letters or communications sending letters or communications threatening to kill or do bodily harm. Senator Rison asked that his resolution regarding the establishment of a restaurant in the basement of the Capitol be called up and read, and Senator Keezell brought forth a laugh by asking the chair to appoint a committee consisting of Senators Mann and Lesnet to prepare an amendment to the resolution regarding the liquid refreshments to be sold in the restaurant.

Work on Calendar.

omitted to hand in any statement of their income, it will be the duty of the juries to return indictments against said persons.

House Bills Passed. To prescribe in what manner amend-ments to the Constitution may be sub-

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To provide for fish wardens of State;
their flottes and compensation.

To validate and confirm certan
bonds issued by the school board of
Western Branch Magisterial District,
No. 1, of the county of Norfolk, under
an act entitled "An act to authorize
the school board of Western Branch
Magisterial District, No. 6, of the county of Norfolk, to borrow money for
the purpose of school improvements in
said district, and to issue bonds therefor not exceeding \$50,000 in amount,"
approved March 8, 1995, and to authorize the Board of Supervisors of
Norfolk county to guarantee the pay-

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Norfolk county to guarantee the payment of said bonds.

To amend and re-enact an act approved March 7, 1906, entitled "an act
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March 10, 1904, entitled an act to
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April 2, 1902, entitled an act to amend
and re-enact an act entitled an act to
provide a road law for Campbell county," approved March 5, 1900, providing
and regulating a road board for said
county, and directing the disbursement of the county road fund.

Sennie Bills Passed.

To appropriate the sum of \$4,100 to
meet certain expenses for the Virginia
School for the Deaf and Blind at Stauston.

To amend and re-enact an act approved December 18, 1899, entitled "an act to regulate the sale of cider and other intoxicants in Palmyra village, Fluvanna county, Va., so as to change the limit from one to three miles."

To regulate the registration, sale, inspection and analysis of the commercial fertilizer, acid phosphate, fertilizing materials and chemicals in the State of Virginia, and to repeal at

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other laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith.

To amend and re-enact section 1041a of the Code of Virginia, 1804, as amended by the act approved May 20, 1903, entitled "an act to amend and re-enact chapter 44 of the Code of Virginia, 1837, in relation to cities and towns, and to repeal sections 1039 and 1040 of the Code of Virginia, and section 1043 of the Code of Virginia, as amended and re-enacted by an act approved March 4, 1896, and as attempted to be repealed by an act approved March 7, 1900, and to repeal an act approved March 7, 1900, entitled 'an act to provide for local assessments in cities and towns.'"

## Child Labor Bills

The following are the bills offered respectively by Hon. E. C. Massie, member of the Legislature from Richmond, and by the manufacturers of Virginia. The bills speak for themselves.

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Thousands of letters like the following are received from grateful men and women who cannot say too much in praise of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for the benefits derived from its use.

Thaw smoked and talked with his counsel for the journey.

From the moment that the word came from the juryroom at 12:40 P. M. that a report was about to be made, the closing events of the famous case moved with almost cyclonic rapidity.

For a day and a night there had been absolute silence on the part of the jury.

from its use.

"I wish to tell you and the public what your Pure Malt Whiskey has done for me. Last February I was taken with a severe attack of the grip that laid me up for several weeks. The doctor gave me his usual remedy for grip, but I did not improve, and as I had used several bottles of your Malt Whiskey, I procured a bottle and took it according to directions. In a day or two I felt much better, and by the much stronger. It is surely a great laid to their feet.

MR. M. D. WINGATE.

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# One Bottle Cured Grip THAW NOT GUILTY,

visitors being barred from the insti

Mr. M. D. Wingate, of Petoskey, Mich., who was laid up with tutton on Sunday.

Daniel O'Rielly announced to-night that when a writ of habeas corpus is

pletely cured by one bottle of Sued in Thaw's behalf, if such action shall be decided upon in the near future, the application probably will be other medicines failed to do him made at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., the coun-

other medicines failed to do him any good.

Mrs. Wingate received more benefit for throat and lung trouble from taking Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey than from all other remedies.

Thousands of letters like the fol-

is an absolutely pure distillation of malted grain; great care being used to have every kernel thoroughly malted, thus destroying the germ and producing a predigested liquid food in the form of a malted essence, which is the most effective tonic stimulant and invigorator known to science; softened by warmth and moisture, its palatability and freedom from injurious substances render it so that it can be retained by the most sensitive stomach.

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